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MATRICULATION CLASSES CUT

Both local high schools—Altona and Altona North—are included in the 17 city schools which the Director of Education, Mr. F. H. Brooks, has announced will most probably not be teaching matriculation mathematics and science next year.

In the case of Altona High this action would possibly leave insufficient students at the school to maintain matriculation humanities classes for which the school has teachers, accommodation and a library which is known as one of the best in high schools.

Altona North has the teachers and accommodation to cope with matriculation maths. and science classes during 1967. It is understood the humanities classes will be maintained at the school.

Between the two schools 55 students—25 Altona North and 30 Altona—are doing leaving maths. and science this year. It will not be known until after the examinations how many will wish to continue with matriculation.

In a report received by Altona Shire Council last Tuesday night Cr. J. J. Ginifer stated the shocking result of Mr. Brook's announcement was that both local schools are in the 17 schools which may not have matriculation maths. and science next year. Sunshine West and similar perimeter schools make up the balance of the schools to be restricted.

Cr. Ginifer believes that if these classes are cut out now, they may be cut out for good and Altona left in a position with two high schools that only more or less go half way—that is, to leaving standard.

He reports that one effect, already felt at this announcement, has been inquiries by parents who are thinking of removing fourth formers to do Forms 5 and 6 at Melbourne High or other schools. This, considers Cr. Ginifer, will have a skimming off effect of senior students, and more or less reduce Altona schools to a second grade status.

Cr. Ginifer asks: "Why must both Altona schools be included in the 17? Why could not the two Altona schools be amalgamated for these classes? There is a bus service which already connects both schools."

He suggests Altona High could become the base school for matriculation humanities classes and Altona North High the base school for matriculation maths. and science classes.

Undoubtedly there are sufficient youngsters in Altona and adjacent areas to maintain and warrant worthwhile full-time matriculation classes under these circumstances believes Cr. Ginifer.

He pointed out that a disappointing feature of the proposed set-up is that senior students at both schools have been working well over the past years to improve sporting facilities and other amenities for their school, and just as they have obtained them they will be routed to other schools. The sum of \$14,000 has recently been spent on grading, draining and levelling the sports fields at Altona High.

Also, prefects and house captains are drawn from matriculation classes as these students are considered to be of mature age and experienced to handle leadership jobs.

With the drawoff of senior students to other areas, the facili-

WELCOME SIGN

The total cost of the "Welcome to Altona" sign in Millers Road was \$1250.

This was revealed when Cr. W. L. J. Crofts asked if this was the full purchase price or was the sign on hire from the supplier.

Shire President, Cr. S. G. McIntosh, made it clear that the sign was purchased and is outrightly owned by the Shire. He stressed that although some companies do only supply these signs on hire, this was not the case with this particular one.

Cr. LEE REFUSES TO APOLOGISE

Cr. H. W. Lee has refused to withdraw his remarks and apologise for repeated accusations against the integrity of the "Altona Star." The request for the withdrawal and apology was on the agenda for last Tuesday night's meeting of Altona Shire Council.

At the council meeting on September 13 Cr. Lee denied the unauthorised use of a council photograph on the manifestos produced by the anti-Labor (Ratepayer) Candidates in the recent council elections and accused the "Star" of permitting an official photograph to be used for an unofficial use.

He contended this showed no integrity and that the proprietor had dishonoured the paper.

The "Star" pointed out to him that neither the photograph nor negative was in its possession and that in no way had the "Star" had any part in reproducing the photograph used on the manifestos.

At the council meeting on September 27 he replied by saying he would "dispute that this photograph was not a direct print off the negative."

The Ratepayer Candidates stepped in and advised the council of the exact origin of the photograph they had used. They revealed they had a photograph taken of the photograph in the Altona Shire's annual report, which was issued to every ratepayer. From this photograph the Ratepayers had a block made for their election printing.

The "Altona Star" again repeats it was in no way concerned in the making of this block.

Here the "Star" points out that it is quite the usual action for customers to supply their own blocks for printing.

When the apology came up for consideration on Tuesday night and Cr. Lee had finally learnt of the origin of the Ratepayers photograph he said, "I meant to convey that the negative or, in fact the photograph, was used in some way to produce the block, and in some way used to reproduce the photograph which was identical with the official photograph and I feel no apology is needed."

The "Altona Star" stresses that no matter how Cr. Lee tries to twist his remarks he cannot get away from the unalterable fact that the "Altona Star" did not allow an official photograph or its negative to be used for an unofficial purpose, which was the reason he gave for condemning the integrity of the "Star."

This is the third apology demanded from Cr. Lee at the last two council meetings. He has APOLOGISED for objectionable remarks to Cr. Crofts, HALF-HEARTEDLY APOLOGISED for the injustice done to photographer Mr. Barry Sutton, and REFUSED TO APOLOGISE to the "Star."

Cr. J. J. GINIFER, M.L.A.

The whole of Altona Shire Council attended the swearing in of Cr. J. J. Ginifer in the Legislative Assembly of State Parliament last Tuesday night.

Cr. Ginifer, A.L.P. member, was elected to the Assembly seat of Grant last Saturday to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Roy Crick. He defeated the Republican Party Candidate by a majority of approximately 15,000 votes.

Cr. Ginifer, a married man with three daughters, has been a member of Altona Shire Council for the past six years and was recently elected for a further term of three years.

He is a school teacher, but on his election to parliament was automatically retired from the Education Department.

The seat of Grant disappears in the re-distribution of votes for the State elections scheduled for the middle of next year. Cr. Ginifer has already been endorsed as A.L.P. Candidate for the

new seat of Deer Park.

As Tuesday night was the normal meeting night for Altona council, the starting time was delayed one hour to permit councillors to attend the ceremony in parliament.

Cr. Ginifer returned to the council offices later in the night. At supper the Shire President, Cr. S. G. McIntosh, proposed a toast to Cr. Ginifer, who thanked the councillors for honouring him by attending parliament.

Details of Saturday's voting are as follows—

Sub-division	Enrolled	Davies	Ginifer	Informal	Total
Albion	2,090	345	1,201	63	1,609
Altona	11,295	1,766	6,044	302	8,112
Brooklyn	3,454	420	1,683	89	2,192
Deer Park	11,021	2,439	4,397	559	7,295
Sunshine	11,135	1,766	6,140	326	8,232
Sunshine North	5,567	952	2,604	217	3,773
Werribee	7,012	1,876	2,993	296	5,167
Postal		152	345	13	510
TOTALS	51,574	9,716	25,409	1,865	36,990

In the election Liberal and D.L.P. voters had no candidates standing in their interests.

They had no options other than to vote for the Labor Candidate (Cr. Ginifer) or the Republican Candidate (Mr. Davies).

The relatively large vote the latter received cannot be accepted as an endorsement of his platform (which was unknown) but mainly as the only available method of opposing the Labor Candidate.

While the general voting trend was as anticipated, there were certain significant aspects.

Exactly the same number (1766) voted against Cr. Ginifer in the Altona area and also in the Sunshine section. As the total enrolments were almost the same it would indicate that though relatively unknown in Sunshine, Cr. Ginifer commands

as much support there as in Altona.

Perhaps more important are the figures for Deer Park which is a section of the seat which will be contested by Cr. Ginifer next year. Here he received less support.

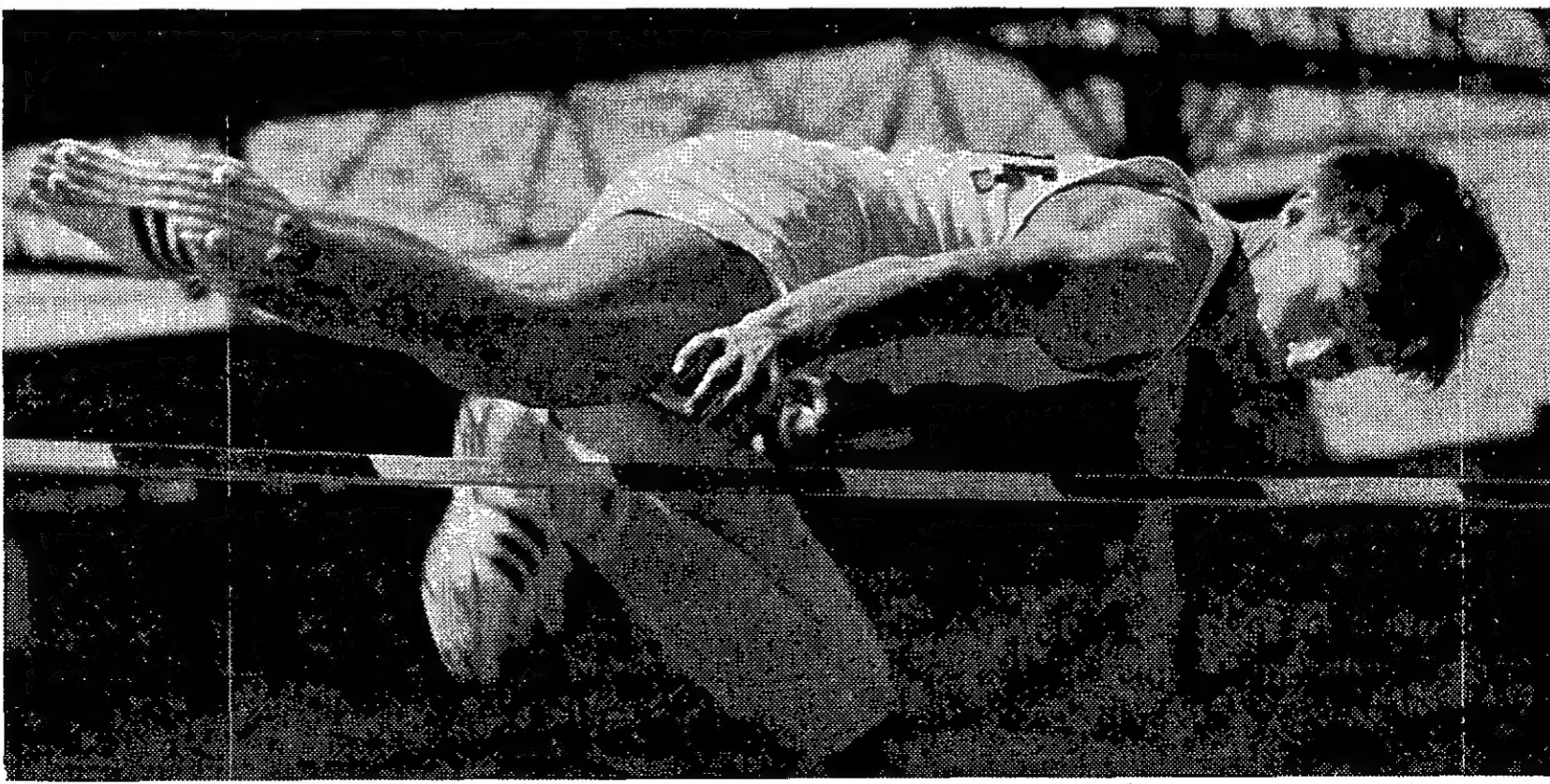
A COMPARISON

Altona news in the "Altona Star" on October 6 totalled 770 inches.

The Altona news in the official organ came to 274 inches for the same date.

This represents 57% of space in the "Star" for Altona news, and 5% in the official organ.

ALTONA NORTH HIGH STUDENT BREAKS HIGH JUMP RECORD AT METROPOLITAN TITLES



Altona North High School are well in the lead after the first day of the Western Division of the Metropolitan High School Championships, which started with field events and heats of track events at Olympic Park last Monday. Altona North, with 191 points, is leading Maribyrnong, 158. Finals of the track events are being run today. Records were broken by three Altona North students—John Hicks (pictured above) cleared 5ft. 9in. to smash the previous record for the Under 16 High Jump by 5½in; David Holdsworth ran the Under 17 mile in the record time of 4:29; Ria Erkamps jumped 4ft. 11¼in. to create a new record in the Open High Jump for girls.

Progress points at the conclusion of Monday's sports were—Altona North 191, Maribyrnong 158; Sunshine 138, Sunshine West 131, Footscray 118½, Williamstown 107, Sunbury 88, St. Albans 81, Werribee 76, Braybrook 62½, Altona 51 and Flemington 45.

EDITORIAL

ANOTHER FIRST

Altona Shire Council has a number of impressive firsts to its credit. There are the Junior Council, free kindergartens and pre-eminence in social amenities.

It will soon add another in its development of Crown land in the Truganina Explosives Reserve.

It has also another first, but which is not to its credit.

It is, as far as we know, the only municipality that has attempted censorship of a local paper by intimidation.

Regrettably this first will go far to offset the prestige so gained in the past.

This paper has taken its stand. It has nailed its colours to the mast. No censorship.

The Altona people have now undoubted knowledge that in the "Altona Star" they have one free and independent paper acting in their interests.

Having made our point and with many assurances of support we need say no more.

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ALTONA WORKING MEN'S CLUB NEWS

SPECIAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

All members are requested to attend the special meeting next Monday, October 17, commencing at 7.45 p.m. in the Altona Working Men's Club building.

This meeting has been convened to discuss important changes necessary in the club's Articles of Association to comply with conditions for club registrations, therefore, it is important to obtain a maximum attendance of members.

Should insufficient members attend and the meeting be unable to deal with the proposed alterations, it could result in a serious delay to the club's progress. Please bring your membership card.

GARDENING SECTION

The monthly meeting of the Gardening Section will be held tomorrow night, Friday, October 14, at 8 p.m.

As this will be the last monthly meeting before the Annual Spring Flower Show and Fair a large turn up of members is anticipated. Also any other members prepared to assist on the actual day of the show as stewards, door attendants, etc., are invited to this meeting.

CLUB CLEAN-UP

Thirty men are required next Sunday morning, October 16, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon for the big clean-up operation, mainly around the outside of the building. Please bring gardening tools.

ANNIVERSARY DANCE

Tickets are now in circulation for the club's social event of the year — the Club Anniversary Dance on Saturday, October 22, with Telford Jackson as compere.

Andrew Todd, a local artist who frequently appears on television, will also be at the club that night.

Members and friends are requested to now obtain their tickets, priced at \$1 each including an excellent supper, so that the Dance Committee can complete catering arrangements.

ASSOCIATES MONTHLY MEETING

A reminder to all Associate members that their next monthly meeting is Monday, October 24, at 7.45 p.m. The guest speaker will be from the National Parks and Gardens.

THE NEXT BEETLE DRIVE

The next Beetle Drive will be held on Friday, October 28, at 8 p.m. Donation tickets at 30c each will be available next week.

Local Girl Is Quest Finalist

Sixteen year old Lynda Keane is a finalist in an Australia wide search for a national "mannequin a go go" being sponsored by a weekly magazine and a group of department stores.

She was one of the hundreds of original entrants from whom judges selected semi-finalists from each state.

Flown to Sydney for further judging Lynda was selected as one of the 10 finalists from all over Australia.

Photographs of the finalists are currently appearing in the magazine and readers are asked to vote for their choice. The outright winner will be decided by readers' votes.

The winner of the title Australia's "mannequin a go go" will have the choice of an impressive list of prizes that include, a trip to Surfers Paradise for two, a round-Australia trip, a \$300 wardrobe, stockings, modelling course, personal photographs, radiograms, beauty cases blankets and a wig.

While in Sydney Lynda who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Keane of Civic Parade, Altona, appeared on television in "It's All Happening."

Television is not new to Lynda as she has taken part in a number of programmes over the past few years and has appeared in many commercials—a current one is advertising carpets. Shortly she will be seen for a few minutes in an episode of "Homicide."

Lynda also has entered the Miss Sunshine Beauty Quest sponsored by the Sunshine Lions.

COMING EVENTS

Parents of children in the Seaholme area are invited to inspect the Toy and Book Display at the Seaholme Kindergarten next Thursday, October 20th.

The display will be open between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. and again at night between 7 and 9 p.m.

Parents will be given the opportunity to order toys and books for Christmas presents.

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The Annual Fete at the Altona East State School will be held on the last Saturday of this month—October 29.

Commencing at 1.30 p.m. all the usual bargains will be available and attractions for the children include pony rides and merry-go-round.

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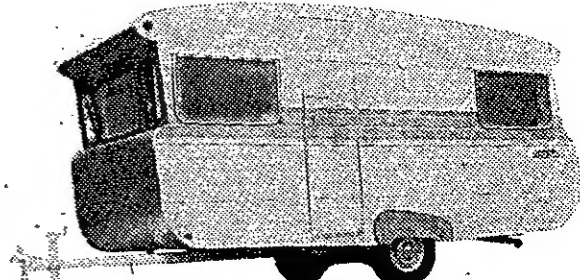
Residents attending the Monster Fete at Altona North High School tomorrow night, Friday October 14, from 4.30—9.30 p.m., can come early and need not rush home to eat. By stopping for a barbecue tea they can leisurely inspect the various stalls and attractions of the fete. Plenty of hot dogs and drinks also will be available.

The snakes in a pit should draw a crowd of onlookers.

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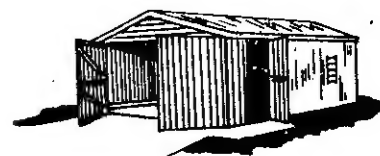
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The Social Whirl

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New Reception Rooms

Central Hotel has acquired the building adjacent to the hotel, and formerly used for 10-pin bowling.

The building is in the process of being converted to luxurious reception and function rooms.

The foyer area existing between the hotel and the new enterprise will be converted to a private dining room and will seat 40 people. A passage way will be provided to link the hotel foyer to the new building.

The new rooms will be on a split level. The upper floor will have a dance floor and will seat approximately 150. This area will have an attractive balustrade between two stairways at each side of the building down 2ft. 6in. to the lower floor. This area will seat approximately 250 and will also have a dance floor.

The dance areas will be parqueted made from Johnstone River hardwood from North Queensland. The rest of the floor area will be covered in top quality wall to wall carpets.

A kitchen servrey, liquor servrey and cool rooms will also be provided.

Provision is also being made for large doors to be fitted to the west wall in Borrack Square to allow for the entry of vehicles, etc., for trade displays and conventions.

The building is air-conditioned and has already been approved by the Shire council, Health Commission and the Licensing Court.

The need for these facilities in the western suburbs is great. Most catering establishments are booked up to two years in advance. Since the advent of 10 p.m. hotel closing so much pressure has been placed on the hotel facilities that receptions, conventions and dinner dances, etc., have caused much embarrassment as the room to cope was just not available.

It is anticipated that the new rooms will be completed by the end of November and will fill an important place in our community and business life.

Since the project was first mentioned in the "Star" some

Elderly Citizens News

On Saturday, October 15, the Altona Elderly Citizen's Club will hold their monthly dance at 8 p.m. Supper will be provided and all are welcome. Donation is 30c adults and 15c children.

Last Friday, October 7, Mrs. Mitchell brought along a wonderful concert party of 23 artists. The hall was packed and a wonderful night was had by all. Supper was provided for the visitors and the night finished at about 11.45 p.m.

Altona Historical Society Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Altona Historical Society will be held on October 19, at 8 p.m., in the Society's meeting room at 123 Queen Street, Altona.

New members or visitors will be welcome.

Social Bowls Aids Hospital

Last Sunday Altona Bowling Club held a Hospital Sunday competition and donated all proceeds from the day to the Altona District Hospital.

The trophies for the day were donated by Mr. R. Watson, a former member of the Board of Management of the hospital.

At the conclusion of play the president of the bowling club, Mr. T. Burke, presented a cheque for \$48.45 to Mr. J. Murphy, vice-president of the Board of Management of the Altona District Hospital.

months ago there have been many inquiries for the use of these much needed facilities.

BALLET EXAM RESULTS

At the recent R.A.D. Ballet Examinations held in Melbourne, the students of Keene's School of Dancing received the following results—

PRIMARY

Highly Commended: Maxine Fensom and Beatrice Wittstadt; Commended: Susan Hicks; Pass Plus: Lynn Backhouse.

GRADE 1

Honours: Lynette Dunhill and Laura Magill; Highly Commended: Susan Harvey; Commended: Shirley McCulloch, Cheryl Rivett and Gillian Walker; Pass Plus: Cheryl Dunn; Pass: Cathryn Williams.

GRADE 2

Commended: Suzanne Jansen and Alona Neal; Pass Plus: Deborah Jenkin; Pass: Elizabeth Sebbens and Arlene Wilsher.

GRADE 3

Highly Commended: Suzanne Griggs; Pass Plus: Elaine Whiting; Pass: Jacqueline Arthur.

GRADE 4

Pass Plus: Myra Brideer; Pass: Rhonda Nichols and Christine Sebbens.

Examiner was Miss Jean Whittet, from England. Special thanks to pianist Mrs. C. Williams, of Werribee, who took on the task at very short notice.

Spastic Aid Raise Large Sum

The magnificent sum of \$533 was raised by the Altona Spastic Aid Committee during September, which is known throughout Victoria as "Spastic Month."

This small, but energetic group of women work tirelessly to provide assistance for local spastics. All work undertaken by them is completely voluntary and full proceeds of their efforts go to the Chis-Lon Spastic Centre.

Assisted by schools, church organisations and friends they sold \$170 worth of the little blue forget-me-nots which are sold each September for the Spastic Appeal.

Sales of raffle tickets for the giant Christmas stocking totalled \$220 for September. These are still on sale and may be purchased from the seller in the foyer of the National Self-Service in Pier Street.

Proceeds from both these efforts go direct to the Chis-Lon Centre at Seddon, which is attended by Altona spastics. A fashion parade, organised by the local committee raised a further \$125 and a social evening \$18.

These amounts are being held by the local committee which regularly presents substantial cheques to Chis-Lon.

ENGAGEMENT

The engagement was announced last week of Glenda Crook, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Crook, of Keon Street, Thornbury, to Alan Owen, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Owen, of Beach Street, Seaholme.

The couple are planning their wedding for January of next year.

CHRISTENING

The white satin smocked christening gown worn by baby Michelle Louise Woodgate when she was baptised at St. Eanswythe's Church of England on October 2 also was worn by the baby's mother at her christening.

Michelle is the baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brian Woodgate, of Romawi Street, Altona.

After the christening a party was held at the home of the baby's Godparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Howard, of Queen Street, Altona.

The baby's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerrard, of Laverton, provided the beautiful christening cake and the baby's health was toasted with champagne.

Unfortunately the other grandfather, Mr. Woodgate, was in hospital and unable to be present.

EPSOM STREET MOTHERS' CLUB

Epsom Street Primary School Laverton Mothers' Club will hold their Annual Fete on Friday week, October 21, in the Memorial Hall, Laverton.

"Something for everyone" is the theme of the fete—lucky dips for young and old, sweets, drinks, toffee apples, home made cakes, produce, sewing, novelties, hot dogs and a "cuppa." Doors will open at 7.30 p.m.

120 Attend Engagement Party

Bride-to-be Dawn Burgess made her own celebration cake for the barbecue party at which her engagement to Ronald Hunt, of South Kingsville, was announced by her father last Saturday night.

One hundred and twenty guests attended the party given by Dawn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Burgess, at their home in Civic Parade, Altona. Dawn is their elder daughter.

Among the guests was Dawn's friend, Miss Coral Bright, who decorated the diamond shaped cake which was iced in blue and featured white hearts. As well as relatives and Dawn's friends at the party there were a number of Mr. and Mrs. Burgess's fellow members from the Altona Working Men's Club.

The couple are planning an October wedding for next year.

School's Tasmanian Trip Fund Grows

The fund for the Tasmanian trip planned for the end of November by Form 4A Altona High School boys gained a further \$94 from the well attended picture night held by the Altona Sub-Branch R.S.L. last Saturday night. A large sum is already in hand for the trip, but any donations would be appreciated and may be arranged by contacting the school.

Success In Sunshine Flower Show

In only his second year of showing flowers Mr. T. Marshall, of 269 Esplanade, Altona, has taken off the first prize for a Vase of Hardy Cut Flowers at the 1966 Spring Show of the Sunshine and District Horticultural Society.

Tulips are Mr. Marshall's speciality and last year he was awarded second prize at the same show.

These two successes in succeeding years help to prove Mr. Marshall's belief that flowers can be grown in gardens fronting the Esplanade.

His front garden has no protection from winds blowing off the sea.

He has experimented with the growing of tulips in the sandy soil for the past six years and he considers the salt from the sea assists in keeping his plants free of pests.

Successful School Fete

The Annual Fete held at Altona High School last Saturday and recent student activities has resulted in a total of \$935 being added to school funds.

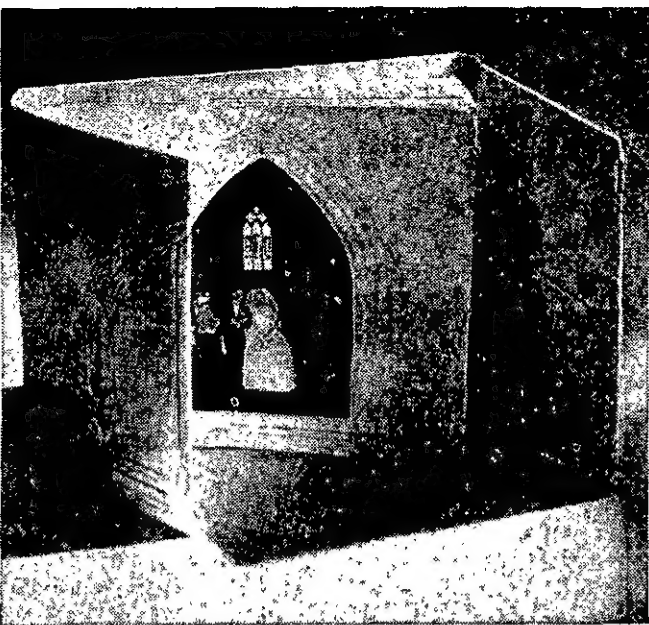
Between them the 16 forms at the school have raised a total of \$815. Some of this money was raised at the fete, the rest at individual form efforts—barbecues, film nights, etc.

Form 4A with \$127.82 and Form 3B with \$114.03 raised the largest amounts. Form 4A organised a theatre party and a lamington drive whilst most of 3B's money came from hot dog sales.

A discotheque at the fete netted Form 5 \$61 of their total of \$80.65.

Forms 4C and 6 raised \$83.04 and \$78.64 respectively.

The Mothers' Club raised \$119. Mrs. Stanyer, president of the Mothers' Club, has expressed her appreciation of assistance given before and at the fete by members of both school and parent groups, head master, Mr. Sier, teachers and particularly to the students who raised such a large sum of money and ensured the success of the fete.



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RUMOURS INCORRECT

Rumours that the St. John Ambulance Brigade central body in Footscray has issued an order which will virtually wind up the Altona Brigade are not correct Mr. Don Woodcock, superintendent of the brigade, informed Altona Shire Council last week.

Cr. H. W. Lee mentioned an order was out which would virtually wind up Yarraville, Williamstown and Altona Brigades.

He suggested writing to the appropriate authority requesting them to reconsider their decision.

Cr. G. den Dulk said Cr. Lee appeared to have heard the same as many other people, but he pointed out that as usual news which is not correct travels too fast.

He suggested as Mr. Woodcock was seated in the gallery the council should suspend standing orders and give him the opportunity to speak.

Mr. Woodcock pointed out there had been changes at St. John headquarters and a minimum number of members (12) was now necessary for each division. Superintendents had been verbally but not officially informed of this decision and lack of discretion had resulted in the story circulating that Altona was to be wound up.

He explained that the Altona Brigade was made up of three divisions—the adult, cadet and girls nursing divisions—and that the decision only effected the adult division. It had nothing to do with either junior divisions.

Mr. Woodcock said at the time he objected to the decision as the Altona adult division had less than 12 members. However, five people who participated in a recent course expressed their willingness to join the division and brought the membership to more than 12.

He asked the council not to take any action which specifically mentions Altona is to be wound up as this would be out of order.

However, he said the decision could effect Yarraville and other brigades.

Footscray Hospital Appeal

At the instance of the Mayor of Footscray about 30 representatives citizens met at the Footscray Town Hall last Tuesday night to discuss an appeal for funds to build extensions to the Footscray Hospital.

Altona Councillors G. den Dulk and W. L. J. Crofts were present.

Altona is interested in that six percent of patients come from Altona and that 20 or 30 patients are turned away from the hospital each week.

An additional 40 after care beds—20 for general and 20 for midwifery patients—plus the consequent increase in residential medical and nursing facilities is proposed.

"Space Project Appeal" for \$150,000 will open for one month on April 1, 1967.

With the Government subsidy of three for one, this appeal, if successful, will provide \$600,000 for the extensions. Administration expenses will be kept to minimum of approximately 10 per cent of monies received.

It has been suggested that people or organizations wishing to support this appeal could begin planning now.

Further information may be obtained from the Appeal Organizer, Mr. Doyle, at the hospital.

TABLE TENNIS

Summer Pennant, 1966.

The first two rounds of the current season have now been played and most new teams have settled in well to competition standard.

The third week, now in progress, will be testing time for quite a few teams, as unbeaten teams and players strive to maintain their status in the hurly-burly of competition.

In E4 K. Dixon, R. Watson, B. Coaucaud found Altona's family team of Gordon Hayes, daughter Helen and son Stephen, far too accomplished, as have other teams also.

CENTRE NEWS

Following on the switch over

Local Resident On Television

Mr. William Dennis, a resident of Altona was seen by many Melbourne people on television last Wednesday evening.

Mr. Dennis was televised during a television coverage of the three-state gathering of Jehovah's witnesses at the Exhibition Buildings.

Mr. Dennis explained that he had been reminiscing about the many assemblies that he had attended during the past 26 years. He said that advancements had marked these conventions. For example, in that time Jehovah's witnesses had increased to over one million in 194 lands.

Members of the local congregation were among the several thousand in attendance on Sunday to hear the public address "What Has God's Kingdom Been Doing Since 1914?"

BLASTING COMPLAINTS

Following the investigation of blasting complaints in Altona North the State Mining Engineer, Mr. P. E. Clarke, has advised the Minister that he is not quite satisfied with the position.

To obtain assurance that the risk of structural damage is not being incurred Mr. Clarke said a series of measurements of ground vibrations will be made.

Restrictions, stipulating the maximum quantity of explosive permitted to be detonated in order to eliminate the possibility of structural damage being caused to houses in the neigh-

Collusive Tenders?

What appears to be a case of collusive tendering is being referred by Altona council to the appropriate Minister.

At their meeting last week Cr. G. den Dulk said four tenders had been received for the supply of concrete pipes and all were the same.

He said in his opinion and he thought the Shire Engineer, Mr. R. C. Simmons, agreed with him these were examples of collusive tendering.

If these tenders are accepted the price will always be the same explained Cr. den Dulk.

On the motion of Cr. den Dulk and seconded by Cr. A. W. Bond the council agreed to refer the tenders to the Minister.

3rd ALTONA CUB PACK

The Pack is pleased to welcome "New Chum" Stephen Weybury and wish him many happy hours of cubbing.

After receiving his Second Star this week, Glen Sellman now has "two eyes open". Congratulations Glenn, obtaining your Second Star means quite a lot of hard work so you have put forward your best effort.

Congratulations also to Andrew Cox on receiving his First Service Star—Andrew has entered into all the Cub activities with great enthusiasm and no doubt will continue to do so in the future.

TRAIN STOPPAGES CRITICISED

The complete stoppage of Altona trains during the recent S.E.C. power cuts came in for criticism from Altona councillors at their meeting last week. Cr. A. W. Bond pointed out that the trains were stopped and private buses were on strike on the same day.

It appeared Altona did not count with the authorities.

He said the first thing the authorities do at a time like this is to stop the Altona trains and virtually cut the town off from the rest of the world. Besides, residents cannot rely on private bus services added Cr. Bond.

He moved that a letter be sent to the Minister of Transport pointing out that Altona has no alternative to train services and asking that in times of power shortages Altona be given a minimum of transport.

Twenty-four thousand people were isolated when the trains stopped, commented the Shire President, Cr. S. G. McIntosh.

Consideration should have been given to Altona's geographical position in relation to transport said Cr. W. H. Lee. Other areas such as St. Kilda have alternative methods of transport.

Cr. G. den Dulk suggested as Altona is high on the alphabetical list it was cut off first.

Cr. W. G. Cresser said more consideration should be given to one of the few lines which pay its way.

Cr. Bond's motion to send the letter to the Minister was seconded by Cr. A. J. Fisher and agreed to by all.

Altona Pedal Club

On Sunday at Heidelberg's rally it was once again the younger riders who won the placings.

Congratulations to Rita Cassar, Christine and Kevin Beband who again won trophies, also to certificate winners Kerry and Eric Sorrell and Jamie Dight.

Lee Dight dead-heated in the under 5 years race but still received a trophy.

The next games afternoon will be held at 9 Bracken Grove, on Wednesday, October 19, at 1-15 p.m. Silver pedal results: October 8, 1st 24—2nd 5—3rd 57.

TECH. SCHOOL ACHIEVEMENT

For the third year in succession and for the 5th time in six years the Altona North Technical School has won its section of the Inter-Technical Schools Athletic Carnival.

Next year the school will be reaching the "A" section, thus reaching the maximum grade for technical school athletics. Only four years ago, in 1962, the school was competing in "E" grade.

The school has the outstanding record of advancing a grade each year with the exception of 1963.

In "B" section this year the competing schools were Altona North which scored 295 points, Frankston 258, Oakleigh 212, Keon Park 199, Heidelberg 189, Noble Park 163 and Collingwood 125.

F. Colosimo, who was appointed team captain won the 880 yards and 1 mile events in great style.

Other notable victories were: G. Hinds breaking the under 16 100 yards record in 10.6 seconds. T. Joniec winning the under 16 shot put and under 16 discus. R. Valente open broad jump and 110 yards hurdles, C. Hyland, 80 yards hurdles 'A' and 100 yards sprint 'B'. J. Butkiewicz a last minute replacement scored 2 first places in a pleasing effort. G. Hartman was also prominent in the under 15 section.

Winners are below:

OPEN EVENT
Broad Jump, 1st R. Valente.
Hurdles, 1st R. Valente.
100 yards, 1st F. Colosimo.
880 yards, 1st F. Colosimo.
High Jump, 1st E. Dawe.

UNDER 15
Shot Put, 1st C. Deans.
Hop-Step-Jump, 1st R. Boyd.
Discus, 1st J. Butkiewicz.
Hurdles 'B', 1st J. Butkiewicz.
100 yards 'A', 1st G. Hartman.
220 yards 'B', 1st G. Hartman.

UNDER 13
Hop-Step-Jump, 1st G. Speirs.

UNDER 16
Discus, 1st T. Joniec.
Shot Put, 1st T. Joniec.
100 yards Hurdles, 1st B. Bowan.

440 yards, 1st I. Cartledge.

100 yards 'A', 1st G. Hinds.

UNDER 14
100 yards 'B', 1st C. Hyland.
Hurdles 'A', 1st C. Hylands.

Undisputed Evidence

On Air Pollution

Such undisputed evidence of air pollution is available that action may be now taken against the offenders said Cr. H. W. Lee at the Altona council meeting last week.

He suggested the council seek the advice of two Q.C.s, Messrs McGarvie and Connor.

Cr. G. den Dulk reported receiving a number of personal calls from residents complaining of air pollution and said he considered the situation in the Shire was deteriorating.

A meeting of the Air Pollution Control Committee which consists of council and company representatives was due to meet last Tuesday night when complaints would be discussed. Recent complaints have all been from residents north of Kororo Creek Road.

However, council agreed to arrange a meeting with the Q.C.s as soon as possible.

STARS SAINTS and SINNERS

by RON COLEMAN.

"GAYBOYS" TURNING MOD

Stars and Saints this week are Altona's unique 50-50 dance group, "The Gayboys," who have decided to add pop music to their quota of styles by engaging lead and rhythm guitarists, both from Altona.

Last week we featured "The Kult" pop group and all of them except one boy were local residents. "The Gayboys," which will now become a four-piece group, consists of all local boys and this is a great thing.

When I first met "The Gayboys" I was surprised to find that they were then only a two-piece group, but after hearing them play I could see that their talent enabled them to be a success.

PETER LANDERS, who is undoubtedly the most versatile player of the group, plays the piano with one hand and the univox (small type of organ) with the other. This is a skillful and quite original feat.

The piano and the organ blend quite well for as Pete explained to me the univox can be pitched to take the place of a saxophone, trumpet and numerous other instruments.

IAN WALSH, the other original member of the group, plays the drums and he met up with Peter after seeing Pete's advertisement for a drummer to form a group. Fortunately Ian had just shifted to Altona from Armadale and as he was in need of work, the group was formed. As far as actual dance playing goes Ian is the most experienced player, as he has been in pop groups prior to "The Gayboys." He said that he didn't find the transition from pop music to 50-50 dance style too hard and he certainly didn't have any regrets.

It is interesting to note that all the great names in drumming have come from either jazz or dance orchestras. Ian notes Billy Hyde of GTV9's orchestra and his son Gary—Australia's top drummers. His favourite international drummers are Joe Morrello, of the Brubeck Quartette, and Buddy Ridge.

A travelling repairman for Symptom-Pope, Ian (of Webb Street, Altona) likes squash, swimming and his girlfriend next to drumming (his girlfriend will kill him for this).

I was stunned to find that Pete Landers is only 16, for not only does he look much older, he also plays good music for his age. Unlike many pianists, he was not a childhood Beethoven, but took to the piano at the age of 12 and according to his mother he was appalling to listen to when he started. But good instruction and the will to learn have produced a fine musician in Pete who plays "Winifred Atwell style."

Pete's favourite pianist is Ern Roberts, his instructor, whom he feels has cut many corners for him and still teaches him now. Ern has his own dance band and is well qualified to teach 50-50 music. Primarily Pete just likes to play, but he does prefer the old time music and man! you've gotta hear him play "12th Street Rag"—he fairly plunks it out.

Other interests of Pete's are hot rods (he loves pulling cars to bits) and squash. He is still at school and is interested in becoming a draughtsman, but who knows? With his talent he'll probably wind up playing with Count Basie's orchestra.

The two newcomers to the group are rhythm guitarist JOHN JOEL and lead guitarist TED DELAMINE, both from Altona. In this way the group will now be able to cater for pop dances as well as old time for Pete will be able to play his organ at pop dances and the piano at formal "shindigs."

Perhaps you're wondering why "The Gayboys" are Stars and Saints this week, well, not only have they given a charity performance to the Altona Elderly Citizens and helped with the formation of the Altona Music Society, they were also dragged out of bed to play at the Presidential Evening when the expected group failed to turn up.

Anyway, now that "The Gayboys" are turning Mod maybe we'll be able to organise a "Battle of the Sounds" between them and "The Kult" as a feature for the first S.S.S. Dance in Altona.

BOOKINGS for "The Gayboys" ring 65-8745 after 6.30 p.m.

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☆ SINNER(S) ☆

This week it's the rathbags who persist in throwing their empty beer bottles out of cars onto our beach.

These people are a menace to the community for not only are they a danger to the feet of bathers and the paws of a dog, they destroy the beauty of the beach and mar the landscape.

SO, BOOZERS! save yourself money and help to keep Altona tidy by taking your empties home.

FOOTNOTE: I did investigate the situation over the weekend and I only had to put one foot out of the car to tread on an empty.

grow boys.)

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WAKY! WAKY!

BROOKLYN, LAVERTON AND NEWPORT

Membership increases each week, but up to date it is centred in Altona, so come on you young folk from Brooklyn, Laverton and Newport. Join now!

Although this page is expected to draw mainly teenage readers, average membership age is about 21, and I'd guarantee that more adults read this page than young folk.

So let's have yah! cats! If there's anything you'd like to tell us drop a line to the "Star" or if you wish to be featured on this page give 'em a ring.

And you people from other areas, such as those listed above, send us your news if you do not wish to feel left out.

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NEXT WEEK

Don't fail to buy the "star" next week as there'll be a very interesting feature on squash.

The Altona Squash Club will be campaigning for new members and free games will be given to the first new members.

WATCH NEXT WEEK FOR DETAILS.

(P.S. We'll also be featuring a free haircut soon, so let it

COMPETITION

Nev's FREE Record

Wow! Last week's competition must have been harder than I thought for we didn't even receive an entry.

The answer to the question, "Who sings the revival of 'The Skye Boat Song'?" was Glen Ingram and all you had to do was ring 3UZ like I did to find out and win yourself an E.P.

Oh well! we'll have to make it easier this week and so the first member to present their card at Nev's Variety Bar after reading this will collect the E.P.

Watch next week for more prizes.

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1. Needle in a Haystack. Twilights.
2. Yellow Submarine. Beatles.
3. Step Back. Johnny Young.
4. Lil' Red Riding Hood. Sam the Sham.
5. Born a Woman. Sandy Posey.
6. Out of Time. Chris Farlowe.
7. Ever Lovin' Man. The Loved Ones.
8. Black is Black. Los Bravos.
9. Born Free. Matt Munro.
10. Bus Stop. The Hollies.

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"THE GAYBOYS"

As yet "The Gayboys" have not got a fan club so come on girls, get cracking and start one. Give as much support as possible to local talent.



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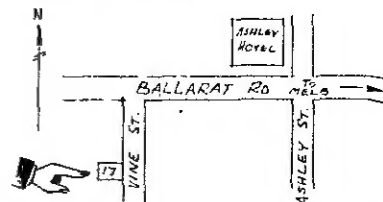
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A GRADE TURF

ALTONA v. W'TOWN R.S.L.

On the second day, against Williamstown R.S.L., Altona's captain, Lance Cumming, opened the bowling from the southern end, forcing Wright to edge a catch to 'keeper Joyce and he took a brilliant diving catch.

Wayne Norman, from the other end, bowled Coffey to make the score 4/43.

Cumming picked up another three wickets to put R.S.L. in an impossible position.

Michael Calaz, a former junior playing his first game with A Grade, bowled extremely well to have the figures of 2/5.

R.S.L. were finally dismissed for a total of 64.

Altona resumed their second innings in a breezy manner and scored 53 runs in even time, with Jack Dellar scoring 23 not out in cavalier fashion.

Altona declared, leaving Williamstown R.S.L. 121 runs to make in 115 minutes.

Byers and Coffey opened in fine fashion, compiling 28 runs for the opening stand. Wickets fell steadily till the advent of Moore to the crease and he scored freely to all parts of the ground.

The last over of the day saw R.S.L. needing 12 runs for an outright victory, however, Cumming bowled Moore with his first ball, giving Altona an outright win.

ALTONA.—1st Innings: 131.

W'TOWN R.S.L.—1st Innings:

(Resumed at 2/33, Wright 6 n.o.)
WRIGHT, c, b Cumming 6
COFFEY, b Norman 4
MOORE, b Cumming 8
WALKER, c, b Cumming 7
ANTHONY, c, b Cumming 0
WHITTINGTON, b Calaz 1
LOVEGROVE, lbw Calaz 3
KNIGHT, c, b Michael 4
J. BYERS, not out 1
Sundries 3

TOTAL 64
BOWLING: L. Cumming 5/13, M. Calaz 2/5.

ALTONA.—2nd Innings:

THOMAS, not out 13
JOYCE, c, b Moore 14
HOSKEN, c, b Whittington 0
DELLAR, not out 23
Sundries 3

TOTAL 2 wickets (dec.) for 53

W'TOWN R.S.L.—2nd Innings:
G. BYERS, b Cumming 18
COFFEY, c, b Michael 15
WRIGHT, b Michael 4
JACKSON, lbw Cumming 1
ANTHONY, run out 4
WALKER, b Michael 5
MOORE, b Cumming 33
WHITTINGTON, b Calaz 9
LOVEGROVE, lbw Calaz 1
KNIGHT, b Norman 11
J. BYERS, not out 3
Sundries 6

TOTAL 110
BOWLING: L. Cumming 3/20, N. Michael 3/27, M. Calaz 2/30.

CUBS AND SCOUTS SPORTS

The Footscray, Williamstown, Altona and Werribee District Cubs and Scouts held the athletic sports on Soldiers Reserve, Werribee, on Saturday, October 1, and results are as follows—

OVER-ALL WINNERS

1st: 4th Footscray, 42 points;
2nd: 2nd Newport, 40; 3rd: 1st Altona, 28; 4th: 2nd Altona, 25

SECTION WINNERS

CUBS.—1st: 1st Werribee; 2nd: 1st Altona; 3rd: 2nd Footscray.
SCOUTS.—1st: 1st Altona and 2nd Altona. SENIORS.—1st: 2nd Newport; 2nd: 1st Footscray and 4th Footscray. OPEN.—1st: 4th Footscray; 2nd: 2nd Newport.

LOCAL EVENT WINNERS

Under 10 Broad Jump: G. Patkumz, 1st Altona. Under 12 Broad Jump: S. Foskett, 1st Altona. Under 11 4x75 yards Relay: 1st Altona. Under 14 100 Yards: G. Fitzgibbon, 2nd Altona. Under 14 4x100 yards Relay: 1st Altona. Under 11 Cub, Siamese Race: 2nd Altona.

B GRADE TURF

KOROROIT STARS v. ALTONA

Altona became overconfident against Kororoi Stars, but fought back well to win on the first innings.

Hatt and Porter for Stars, showing grim determination and aided by loose fielding, carried the score to a respectable 99 and prevented Altona from gaining an outright win. Stars eventually went on to score a total of 120—a grand recovery from their first day recovery of 6/25.

Altona batted for the second time in cooler conditions and started badly, losing both the opening batsmen early, but Jones, showing glimpses of past form, batted well for a sound 36. Grassby at the other end steadied the innings to help lay the foundations for another team century score.

Campbell also showed consistent form, although struggling to find the pace of the turf wicket. The innings eventually closed at 103 and on this effort Altona look set for a good season in B Grade Turf.

ALTONA.—1st Innings: 187.

KOROROIT STARS.—1st Innings:

(Resumed at 6/25, Porter 0 n.o.)
PORTER, c, b R. Gray 46
ROLLASON, not out 0
S. R. HATT, b R. Harrison 35
READ, c, b R. Harrison 1
SMITH, b R. Gray 6
Sundries 19

TOTAL 120
BOWLING: F. Kirk 4/25, R. Gray 2/16, R. Harrison 2/25, R. McCullagh 2/28.

ALTONA.—2nd Innings:

LEWIS, c, b Porter 1
MILNER, c, b Smith 0
JONES, b Walker 36
CAMPBELL, b Day 13
KIRK, b Walker 17
BRUCE, b Walker 0
GRASSBY, lbw Walker 16
R. GRAY, c, b S. R. Hatt 0
R. HARRISON, b Walker 1
McCULLAGH, not out 11
FLETT, c, b S. R. Hatt 1
Sundries 5

TOTAL 103
BOWLING: Walker 5/44, S. R. Hatt 2/21.

C GRADE TURF

ALTONA v. NEWPORT FOOTBALLERS.

Altona, resuming on the second day after leading well on the first innings, were instructed to drive home this advantage to an outright win.

The players responded well to this and tight bowling by Ron Cook and Johnny Duncan, and backed up by every fieldman, brought home the seven points.

It was particularly pleasing to note the improved fielding, especially the way young Ian McCudden smartly returned the ball to the bowler's end after a good stop to run out batsman Stan Costello trying for a quick single.

This Altona team, now that it has learned how to win, can look forward to a good season and with a team make-up of promising juniors from the Under 16 side, plus a few older players, should prove to be a force to be reckoned with in the competition.

NEWPORT FOOTBALLERS.—

1st Innings: 72.

ALTONA.—1st Innings:

(Resumed at 5/121, D. Garde 25 n.o., G. Stephenson 0 n.o.)
HATFULL, c, b Castles 29
SIZELAND, c, b Castles 17
MARTIN, c, b Castles 5
DAVIES, not out 4
SIPHORPE, lbw Castles 16
Sundries 16

TOTAL 138

BOWLING: Castles 5/17.

NEWPORT FOOTBALLERS.—

2nd Innings:

NORMAN, lbw Duncan 1
WELSH, b Cook 2
DURBRIDGE, c, b Cook 0
PIKE, b Duncan 5
MORTON, b Duckett 11
CASTLES, c, b Cook 4
CZAJA, c, b Duncan 11
KARKLIUS, lbw Cook 0
COSTELLO, run out 6
RICH, not out 0
EVERETT, absent 0
Sundries 6

TOTAL 46

BOWLING: R. Cook 4/20, J. Duncan 3/20, Duckett 1/0.

CHURCH CRICKET

A GRADE

Williamstown Congs. 8/96 drew with Tottenham Baps. 5-234 dec. Seddon Congs. 120 and 149 d. St. Andrew's (W'town) 141. Barkly Street 306 d. Newport Meths. 129 and 4/114.

B GRADE

Paisley Street 6/172 dec. d. All saints 69 and 4/120. North Williamstown 76 and 2/26 d. St. Stephen's 71 and 5/98. Kingsville 247 d. Yarraville Pres. 72 and 72.

Altona Baps. 67 (J. Bryce 30) and 53 (G. Douglas 25) lost to Yarraville Baps. 166.

C GRADE

CHRIST CHURCH v. ST. EANS-

WYTHE'S CHURCH OF ENG.

J. Seers (Christ Church) twice ran at full speed along the boundary for two attempted catches. The second time he took a miraculous catch. Ray Price fielded very cleanly and actively all day for both teams.

Christ Church.—1st Inns.: 206.

St. Eanswythe's.—1st Inns.:

(Resumed at 4/94, D. Garde 25 n.o., G. Stephenson 0 n.o.)

D. GARDE, b. Adam 25
STEPHENSON, b. Scheurer 1
GRANT, c, b Webster 5
TYRELL, c, b Webster 19
T. MORTON, b Greaves 2
J. MORTON, not out 0
I. CHALMERS, absent 0
Sundries 22

TOTAL 133

BOWLING: P. Webster 3/17, M. Adam 3/25, J. Scheurer 1/2, H. Greaves 1/21, J. Seers 1/42, J. Smith 0/5.

Christ Church.—2nd Innings:

DUGGAN, c, b Tyrell 14
SMITH, not out 46
SEERS, not out 32
Sundries 14

TOTAL 1 wicket (dec.) for 106

BOWLING: P. Tyrell 1/42, F. Wynands 0/7, B. Grant 0/12, G. Stephenson 0/13, R. Price 0/18.

St. Eanswythe's.—2nd Innings:

PRICE, b Webster 7
B. GARDE, not out 36
PATTISON, c, b Scheurer 4
D. GARDE, c, b Scheurer 34
WYNANDS, not out 15
Sundries 9

TOTAL 106

TOTAL 3 wickets for 106

BOWLING: J. Scheurer 2/47, P. Webster 1/9, J. Seers 0/3, M. Adam 0/5, H. Greaves 0/7, J. Smith 0/25.

St. Andrew's (F'scray) 100 and 7/93 dec. d. Kingsville Baps. 47 and 7/137.

Tottenham Baps. 245 d. Ballarat Road 8/125 dec. and 4/92.

Newport Baps. 26 and 75 lost to Maidstone 79 and 58.

NEXT GAMES

W.A.F.D.C.A

A GRADE TURF

Altona v. Newport A.N.A. Williamstown C.Y.M.S. v. Newport A.N.A. West Newport v. Williamstown R.S.L. Newport Footballers v. Southern Cross.

B GRADE TURF

Powerhouse v. Altona. Kororoi Stars v. Newport Baseballers. Spotswood Imps. v. Newport A.N.A.

C GRADE TURF

Altona v. Gellibrand. C.F.C. v. Spotswood Imps. Newport Footballers v. Altona North.

UNDER 16

Altona v. Newport A.N.A. Altona North Tech. v. Gellibrand. Williamstown R.S.L. v. St. Mary's. Newport v. West Newport. Newport Y.C.W. v. Youth Centre.

CHURCH

A GRADE

St. Andrew's v. Williamstown Congs. Tottenham Baps. v. Seddon Congs. Newport Meths. v. Yarraville Congs. John Street v. Barkly Street.

B GRADE

North Williamstown v. Paisley Street. All Saints v. St. Stephen. Yarraville Pres. v. Altona Baps. Yarraville Baps. v. Kingsville Baps.

C GRADE

St. Eanswythe's v. St. Andrew. Kingsville Baps. v. Christ Church. Ballarat Road v. Newport Baps. Tottenham Baps. v. Newport Baps.

UNDER 16

SOUTH SECTION. St. Andrew's v. St. Stephen's. Electra St. v. St. Eanswythe's. Altona Pres. v. Christ Church. North Williamstown v. West Newport.

Soccer Clubs Great Ending

What an ending to the season! In their last games on Saturday and Sunday, Altona Soccer Club won two trophies.

On SATURDAY at Flinders, Altona reached the final of the Plate Tournament and it took the mighty Slavia to beat them 2-1 in a game Altona should definitely have won.

Silver tankards were presented to Altona by the Base Commander, who remarked that Altona were making a habit of winner runners-up trophies and he hoped next year to see them win the major prize.

Representing Altona were Roberts, Rice, Copley, Herman, Wilkie, Jablonski and Stevens.

As 80 teams participate in this six a side tournament and you have to play six games to reach the final, it is truly a commendable performance.

On SUNDAY it was a leg-weary Maroon side who ran out to Kim Reserve to play Geelong Scottish in the John Dow Shield. With a wind advantage Altona attacked, trying to snatch an early lead, which duly came their way when Ian Roberts banged in a great goal from 20 yards out.

Slowly but surely Geelong crept into the game and Milloy and Copley were called on to stop the visitors from scoring, but Zammitt in goals for Altona had no chance with the first goal for Geelong, which was blasted in from close range and it was one all at the interval.

As the second half got under way it was all Geelong. They pounded the Altona defence.

Karamalos and Herman were trying to open the game up, but the Geelong boys were out for a goal and they got it in a break away. A corner flick was deflected past Zammitt by Steve Herman.

A re-shuffle in the Maroon side saw them starting to open the game up. Jablonski let go a great drive which was magnificently saved by the 'keeper.

The game was good to watch now. A terrific struggle was taking place. Altona were on top. Karamalos hit the post from close in. Stevens put one over the bar at the other end of the ground. It was a penalty, but pint-sized Zammitt saved the day for Altona with a brilliant save.

The Maroons went "flat to the boards" for the equaliser. Professor Wilkie sent Jablonski away. He crossed to Herman and Steve swept it into the net to equal the scores. Five minutes later it was full time, so an extra 15 minutes each way had to be played.

It was hard going. Young Jablonski notched the winning goal 10 minutes from time to clinch the game and the shield for Altona.

Altona will play Albion Rovers on Sunday, starting at 3 p.m.

The annual general meeting will take place on Monday, Oct. 17, in St. Mary's Hall and all interested people are invited.

Junior parents in particular would be welcome.

Altona East Win Sports

The boys from Altona East played a large part in the school's success last week at the Annual Athletic Sports Meeting of the 12 State schools in the Williamstown and Altona Association.

With a final total of 70 points, Altona East won the grand aggregate from Glen Devon (Werribee) 62, and Laverton (Armstrong Street) 55.

Of the 24 boys' events Altona East were placed in 17—nine firsts, five seconds and three thirds. The school gained two thirds and one third with girl competitors.

The Jack Coster Trophies for the best individual performances by a boy and girl athlete were presented to Leonie Cartledge (Glen Devon) and Kirk Naughton (Laverton).

Trophies were presented to Tony Stelma, who won the boys' open 880 yards and Ray Harfield, highest jumper in the boys Under 12 event. Both represented Altona East. G. Chambers, of Newport West, won the girls' jumping award.

Final results of the schools were—

1st, Altona East (AE) 70 points; 2nd, Glen Devon (GD, 62; 3rd) Laverton (L), 55; 4th, Newport West (NW) 52; 5th, Werribee (We) 44; 6th, Seaholme (S) 36½; 7th, Williamstown (W) 29½; 8th, Altona (A) 24, and Newport (N) 24; 10th, Altona North (AN) 23; 11th, Williamstown North (WN) 17; 12th, Altona West (AW) 11.

Football, basketball and cricket trophies won during the year also were presented at the conclusion of the athletic meeting to the following pupils—

Football and Basketball, Best and Fairest were presented to Russell Ewen (Seaholme) and Leonie Parker (Williamstown);

Cricket Batting and Bowling Averages to Chris Honeyman (Newport West) and Nick Apolitoledes (Newport West).

GIRLS

LONG JUMP.—Under 11: 1st, I. Devine (We); 2nd, L. Rowe (S); 3rd, J. Savage (W). U.12: 1st, L. Meracis (We); 2nd, P. Speirs (AN); 3rd, J. Whittman (L). HIGH JUMP.—U.11: 1st, G. Chambers (NW); 2nd, C. Crago (GD); 3rd, K. Williams (WN). U.12: 1st, R. Grenfell (N); 2nd, H. Makin (AN); 3rd, C. Brown (We).

FLAT RACES.—U.8 (50 yds.): 1st, J. Taylor (AN); 2nd, N. Wittman (L); 3rd, S. Rambridge (NW). U.9 (50 yds.): 1st, L. Cartledge (GD); 2nd, J. Byron (N); 3rd, G. Borg (AN). U.10 (75 yds.): 1st, S. Swadling (S); 2nd, S. McCracken (N); 3rd, S. Hartnup (L). U.11 (75 yds.): 1st, W. Lynn (L); 2nd, L. Bourke (We); 3rd, J. Davidson (AN). U.12 (75 yds.): 1st, V. Chandler (We); 2nd, J. Duncan (WN); 3rd, R. Stafford (A). U.13 (75 yds.): 1st, R. Crawley (We); 2nd, C. Bartlett (AE); 3rd, S. Smith (L).

HURDLES.—U.11 (60 yds.): 1st, C. McDowell (AE); 2nd, M. Wylie (A); 3rd, C. O'Neil (GD). U.12 (60 yds.): 1st, L. Parker (W); 2nd, L. Blewitt (A); 3rd, V. Travers (GD).

RELAY RACES (4x75 yds.): 1st, Laverton; 2nd, Newport; 3rd, Seaholme. U.12 (4x75 yds.): 1st, Laverton; 2nd, Altona; 3rd, Newport West.

SKIP BALL.—U.10: 1st, Altona East; 2nd, Werribee; 3rd, Seaholme. U.11: 1st, Glen Devon; 2nd, Altona; 3rd, Seaholme. Open: 1st, Glen Devon; 2nd, Newport West; 3rd, Altona North.

CROSS BALL.—U.10: 1st, Glen Devon; 2nd, Werribee; 3rd, Newport West. U.11: 1st, Werribee; 2nd, Seaholme; 3rd, Williamstown North. U.12: 1st, Newport West; 2nd, Glen Devon; 3rd, Williamstown North.

BOYS

HOP, STEP AND JUMP.—U.11: 1st, G. Fullarton (AE); 2nd, R. Musil (NW); 3rd, L. Wiseman (WN). U.12: 1st, N. Munro (L); 2nd, J. Zulich (AN); 3rd, C. Deans (NW). LONG JUMP.—U.11: 1st, R. Kinkel (AN); 2nd, B. Mills (AE); 3rd, B. Swift (NW). U.12: 1st, F.

Knox (NW); 2nd, C. Sutcliffe (L); 3rd, J. Ryan (AE). HIGH JUMP.—U.11: 1st, R. McDonald (GD); 2nd, R. Olcorn (AE); 3rd, C. Hill (W). U.12: 1st, R. Harfield (AE); 2nd, R. Emmins (A); 3rd, M. de Neef (AW) and D. Wilkinson (W).

FLAT RACES.—U.8 (50 yds.): 1st, D. Fiddian (L); 2nd, E. Dusink (AN); 3rd, T. Knight (AE). U.9 (50 yds.): 1st, M. Flemming (L); 2nd, M. Menichelli (AE); 3rd, R. Roberts (A). U.10 (75 yds.): 1st, A. Gaggino (AE); 2nd, W. Baxter (GD); 3rd, J. Phillips (W). U.11 (75 yds.): 1st, P. Boardman (AE); 2nd, S. Luck (S); 3rd, M. Ross (N). U.12 (100 yds.): 1st, R. Yardley (AE); 2nd, S. Foksett (A); 3rd, J. Swadling (S). U.13 (100 yds.): 1st, G. Fastuca (GD); 2nd, T. Hambling (WN); 3rd, P. Fawcett (NW).

HURDLES.—U.11 (60 yds.): 1st, R. Hosking (GD); 2nd, B. Hayes (W); 3rd, A. Norris (L). U.12 (60 yds.): 1st, K. Naughton (L); 2nd, J. Lewis (NW); 3rd, P. Holder (WN).

RELAY RACES.—U.10 (4x75 yds.): 1st, Altona East; 2nd, Laverton; 3rd, Williamstown. U.11 (4x75 yds.): 1st, Newport West; 2nd, Williamstown; 3rd, Altona East. U.12 (4x100 yds.): 1st, Altona East; 2nd, Newport West; 3rd, Laverton.

TUNNEL BALL.—U.10: 1st, Altona; 2nd, Altona East; 3rd, Williamstown North. U.11: 1st, Altona East; 2nd, Seaholme; 3rd, Williamstown North. U.12: 1st, Glen Devon; 2nd, Altona East; 3rd, Williamstown North.

FOOTBALL RELAYS.—U.10: 1st, Werribee; 2nd, Williamstown; 3rd, Laverton. U.11: 1st, Glen Devon; 2nd, Williamstown; 3rd, Seaholme. Open: 1st, Laverton; 2nd, Newport West; 3rd, Seaholme.

BOYS' OPEN 880 YARDS: 1st, T. Stelma (AE); 2nd, T. Bassingthwaite (N); 3rd, D. Marshall (S) and K. Eaton (AW).

Altona Lad Leads Vic. Soccer Side

Altona soccer fans are proud of the achievements of local 16-year-old boy Jeff Evans, who for several seasons has been playing with J.U.S.T. Footscray club and has been selected in various representative teams.

Recently he was captain of the Under 16 Victorian Soccer team and at the conclusion of last month's tour was awarded the best and fairest trophy. He was presented with a pair of soccer boots and a travelling rug.

After an earlier tour of New South Wales he also was named the best and fairest player.

Coaches, including Mr. O. Norris, the Under 16's State coach, predict a bright future for Jeff and regard him as a future star who should one day play for Victoria and Australia.

He is coached at Footscray by former Scottish player, Mr. E. Lindberg, who for the past few seasons has been concentrating of the juniors.

Jeff is the younger son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Evans, of Seventh Avenue, Altona North, and a student at Altona North Technical School.

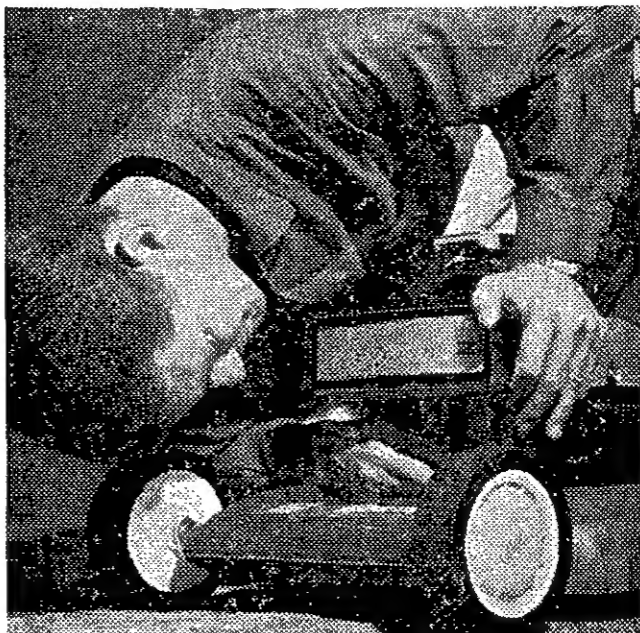
Besides doing well at school, Jeff is a keen cricketer, playing in junior competitions with the A.N.T.S. and last season was a member of the Newport R.S.L. senior team.

For the past two seasons he has won the juniors batting averages and has received many trophies for both soccer and cricket.

His greatest ambition is to play for Victoria and Australia as a senior. Perhaps with his sporting talent he may achieve this in both sports.

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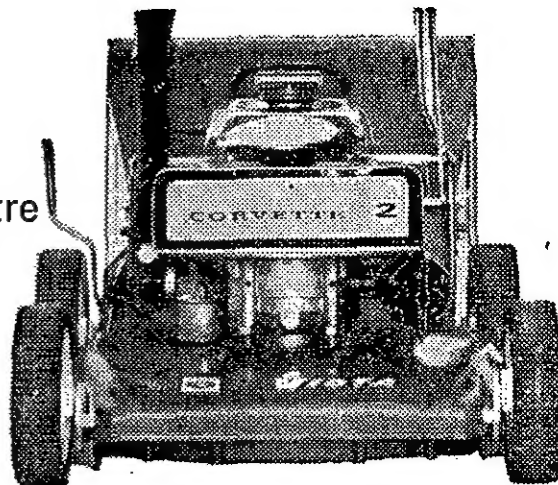
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Letters To The Editor

Dear Sir,
After reading the report on the council meeting in the "Altona Star" dated October 6, I was amazed at the part where Cr. Lee stated, and I quote, "One thing I hate is someone prepared to get where they want to go while using every dirty trick he knows to get there."
I know Cr. Lee apologised but I would have thought that people in glass houses should not throw stones. In agreeing with him that dirty tricks are used, they were used in my home by the A.L.P. Candidates.
Cr. Crofts would not at any time answer any questions about the A.L.P. Candidates and never once did he run them down. I only wish I could say the same for the A.L.P. Candidates.
It is not my intention to embarrass any councillor, so I will not repeat here the words spoken in my home, but I would remind the appropriate councillor that a promise made, no matter how small, should be kept, unless of course it was just another of his election gimmicks.
Cr. Lee should, before bringing up the subject of dirty tricks again, remember the story of the first fox.
Yours faithfully,
Mrs. O. FRANCIS.

Dear Sir,
It is apparent that certain elements within the community are elated with their endeavours to turn the meetings of the Altona council into a three ring circus, in which staff billing has been well earned by the performers in the public gallery.
From the outset, Cr. Lee, in endeavouring to obtain answers to certain pre-election propaganda claims by the Independent's Party, such as:—"being directed by outside influences" and "incompetence" which are still unanswered, even though challenged in your paper before the election, has brought about the situation where he has been singled out as a target for continual attacks by the opposition party supporters.
Whilst realising that being a figure in public life places him in the position for certain criticisms and attacks, it does not place his immediate family in such a position to suffer remarks that I understand have been made to them upon the streets of Altona and other places.
This is deplorable, and unnecessary, and tactics that have never been used or never will be used by members and supporters of the Australian Labor Party.
Yours faithfully,
G. F. STIRLING.

Dear Sir,
If Geoffrey Cresser ("Altona Star" October 6) had opened his other eye at the council meeting on September 27, 1966, he would have noticed that—
1. One legally trained Labor councillor invariably referred to his fellow councillors by their christian names;
2. One A.L.P. councillor asked frequent questions but always directed them to the councillor concerned and never once asked them through the chair;
3. The president moved a motion without vacating the chair;
4. Not one Labor councillor was familiar with the section of the Local Government Act or the Council By-Laws requiring the withdrawal of an offensive remark. The president failed to rule on this matter although the remark was obviously offensive;
5. One Labor councillor read from prepared statements practically every word he said at the meeting (and he said plenty);
6. One Labor councillor asked a question while another had the floor. On a number of occasions more than one Labor councillor was speaking at the same time;
7. The president virtually forced some of the wavering Labor councillors to vote for a particular motion which had been moved by an A.L.P. councillor;
8. At least one of the few A.L.P. supporters in the gallery interjected as loudly as any other person present;
9. The interjections from the gallery occurred only after Cr. Lee had read from his prepared papers a number of outrageous statements which no fairminded decent citizen could accept without protest; and
10. A number of those in the gallery had no connection with the Ratepayers Candidates Committee, but they were no less vocal in their protests about the statements made.
Yours faithfully,
A. S. WRIGHT.

Dear Sir,
Heartiest congratulations to Cr. Lee on being elevated to the office of past president of the Altona Shire vide "Footscray Mail" September 29. Is this a gratuitous honour for services rendered, or is it an example of the accuracy of the reporting we may expect from our new out-of-town official organ?
Yours faithfully,
A. E. MILDENHALL.

Dear Sir,
Attached is a letter written to the "Footscray Mail" and published by them on October 6. The portions ringed were censored. It will be noted that the censored portions all bore reference to Cr. Lee.
Is this the censorship Cr. Lee and his colleagues wanted? Will all councillors get the same protection from the now official journal of Altona Shire, or should I say official mouthpiece.
While Cr. Lee fulminates against the "Star" for alleged bias and censorship, he is completely blind to these very faults in himself.
"The Age" controlled "Mail" is committing a dangerous error if it continues to censor local opinion from this Shire. It may well set a pattern it will regret.
Yours faithfully,
H. V. JEAVONS

Dear Sir,
Two mis-statements cannot go unchallenged in Mr. Geoffrey C. Cresser's letter (which I strongly suspect was ghost-written), "Star" October 6, 1966.
Has he any proof of his mention of "organised interjectors"? On the contrary it was the spontaneous outburst of ratepayers who objected to seeing a man abused and accused in a manner which should have been below the dignity of any councillor.
Secondly, in his third paragraph he says that no A.L.P. supporters had to be ordered to be quiet. What he should have said was that no A.L.P. supporter was ordered to be quiet.
A couple of rather vociferous characters near me were hardly quiet all night.
Finally, in the last but one paragraph there is a dash. Does this take the place of a noun or an adjective? Mr. Cresser, if you're not brave enough to use the language you want to, don't say anything.
RATEPAYER.

[EDITOR'S NOTE.—The dash referred to replaced an offensive word omitted by the "Star."]

MORALITY AND POLITICS

Dear Sir,
Despite the fact that many of our council and parliamentary meetings usually begin with prayer to God, often including the Lord's Prayer, it is a fact that some of the councillors and politicians in Altona and elsewhere have only a tenuous link—if any—with the church.

DIVISION INSTEAD OF UNITY

On the contrary, quite a number want nothing to do with the Christian faith or the principles for which it stands—witness for example the recent divisive behaviour of our local Altona council. It is quite apparent that God's 10 Commandments play no theoretical or practical part in the behaviour and attitudes of these men. They do not consciously base and direct their actions by reference to God's law although they invoke his guidance each time they come together.

CHRISTIAN POSITION

Without raising issues which have already been well and truly aired, I want to ask the Christian community of Altona, "What is our primary obligation to these men?"

From our viewpoint we are saying, "God gave us our fellow-man as a gift, for whom we should thank him—everyone with whom we associate comes within the purview of this category, so that besides our thanks for these neighbours—which includes our councillors—prayers on their behalf should be our responsibility, followed up by the necessary action of our influence on these people."

But, although many people in the church recognise this as part of their duty as Christians, they protest—witness the inactivity so far.

Think back to the times when our Code—the New Testament—was written. These were times when notorious despots ruled as emperors in Rome, Caligula and Tiberius before him, Nero and Domitian, men who ruled with such tyranny and violence, crime and presumption that to this very day we still speak of "caesar's madness," referring primarily to these four emperors.

CHRISTIAN RESPONSIBILITY

By now, some will be saying that I should stick to my own business. But let me say that the business of any churchman is to address himself with all his power, all the might of his convictions, to the most pressing problems of his day.

And none among these problems deserves higher priority than what our political actions should be if we claim to be a responsible Christian community. No human action, political or otherwise, is immune from possible moral evaluation, and for the Christian there is no conceivable moral evaluation to which his religion is not directly relevant.

CHRISTIAN SERVICE

Kant one said, "We do not enter church to serve God here; we do so in order to prepare ourselves to serve Him in our lives and in the community in which we live."

Surely if serving God in our lives means anything at all, it means that certain actions in relation to our fellow-men are required and others prohibited.

To suppose otherwise is to insulate an ethical code from the very subject matter to which it is supposed to apply!

You see, the relevant question is not whether Christianity requires, permits and prohibits certain things in our conduct or behaviour, but what in particular it so requires, permits and prohibits; not whether the New Testament law of love is to be translated into terms applicable to human conduct and behaviour, but how it is to be translated.

Such a position should show not exemptions from the scrutiny of the Christian conscience in certain issues, such as we are at present faced with in Altona, but all the more well considered examination from the standpoint of Christian morality. It just won't do to sit back, inactive, and say we must get behind our elected representatives no matter what our convictions.

CHRISTIAN ACTION

It is only at the risk of forsaking our responsibilities as Christians that we can entrust to our councillors and politicians the power of judgment on any matter of direct moral bearing. I for one do not deny that the responsibility of these men is often a harrowing one. But let us not forget that they are men who have voluntarily chosen their particular field of endeavour.

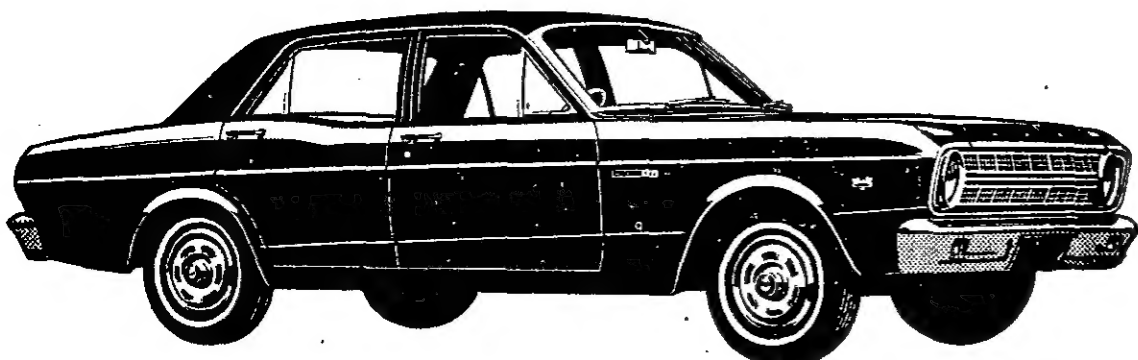
And we should not let the grandeur of their office blind us to the frailty of the individuals who occupy it. If we do, in the long run we do them, ourselves, our community and our country a dis-service by remaining silent and inactive when the voice of conscience needs to be heard loud and clear.

THE KEY

From the standpoint of the church then, this requires translating the law of love, mentioned above, into terms applicable to the realities of our community—once harmonious, now divided. If we, as Christians, have any job at all, it is this. AND IT IS ONE ABOUT WHICH OUR COUNCILLORS AND POLITICIANS DO NOT KNOW MORE THAN US.

(Rev.) JOHN HAYSEY.

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FORSTER.—On October 7, 1966 (suddenly), at his residence, 15 Warratah Street, Seaholme, Walter William Forster, darling beloved husband of Margaret (Mrs. Parton), loving father-in-law of Vince. Age 61 years. Special thanks to Sister Scott and Dr. John Leyden.

THANKS

JONES.—The family of the late Thomas Henry Jones, of 4 Bent Street, Altona, wish to thank all who have sent messages of condolences and floral tributes for their kindness and sympathies on the occasion of his passing on September 15.

MRS. BALDWIN wishes to thank all her friends for the flowers and cards while a patient in the Altona District Hospital. Also the nursing staff.

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Rate Decision Awaited

Expenditure estimated for Altona Shire during this financial year and agreed to at a meeting of the Finance Committee on October 3 is \$284,000 in excess of income if the general rate remained the same as last year—10c in the \$1—reported Cr. W. L. J. Crofts at last Tuesday night's council meeting.

He pointed out that if these estimates are agreed to by the council it would necessitate a 4c increase in the general rate. That is a 40% rise, or another 10d. in every £1. A steep rise, was his comment.

However, since this committee meeting, Cr. Crofts announced he had discovered an error in the addition of the expenditure. An error which decreases the amount by \$55,650. This leaves the position where something less than a 4c increase is needed to balance the books, said Cr. Crofts. (Each 1c increase returns approximately \$70,000.)

Cr. Crofts reported that as directed at a September council meeting the Finance Committee had met again to discuss the estimates.

At the beginning of the meeting the deficit was \$246,000, but unfortunately at the conclusion they were down a further \$38,000, which lifted the deficit to \$284,000 reported Cr. Crofts.

He said that at this stage of the meeting he informed Cr. G. den Dulk and Cr. J. J. Gimifer (these three councillors comprise the Finance Committee) he was not happy with this steep rise and suggested alterations. However, after discussion they agreed there would be no further changes.

Finally, said Cr. Crofts, the draft estimates as amended are ready to go before the council.

Cr. den Dulk pointed out that as the work of the committee in regard to the estimates is now finished for the present, it now becomes the prerogative of the whole council to adopt them or otherwise.

He revealed that many hours had been spent in preparation of the estimates by executive

officers and councillors and it was now time for the committee's final report to be considered by the full council in committee.

He moved that the council meet next Monday night (October 17) and any decisions could be brought forward at the ordinary meeting in the following week.

The motion was seconded by Cr. Crofts and agreed to by council.

ALTONA BOWLING CLUB RESULTS

Last Saturday the weather was not the best for bowls and the rain that fell before play made the greens a little soft and, therefore, tending towards slowness.

Altona club had a fifty-fifty day—two teams were successful, two teams lost.

No. 1 team lost to Werribee 90-73.

No. 2 team defeated West Brunswick 130-61.

No. 3 team lost to Princess Park 111-88.

No. 4 team defeated Footscray R.S.L. 97-82.

This week No. 1 meets Reservoir away, No. 2 are at home to Carlton, No. 3 meets Dootia Galla at home and No. 4 are away to Port Melbourne.

Some readers may be pleased to learn that there are vacancies in this progressive bowling club for both members and associates.

The club has all the amenities for good bowling and good social activities.

The winning rink (mixed) on Sunday's Hospital Day social games was Mrs. Stephens, J. Cox and D. Nettleton.

Once again the club is most appreciative of the efforts of the green keeper, Mr. Alf Gischus, for having the greens in such good condition and hopes that he will be able to combat all growth of weeds and fungus that can spoil his work and give serious trouble. Good luck Alf, the club is proud of you.

YACHTING

On Saturday the Altona Yacht Club conducted the first club race for the season. It was a sternchaser, and many interesting duels developed as the faster craft sailed through the fleet.

In the Hornet Class a well-deserved win went to Laphil, sailing from scratch. John Butterworth did well to finish just over a minute behind the leader.

The Heron Class saw Jim Grieves sail Pee Wee into first place, hotly pursued by Joanne with Bruce Bulmer at the helm.

In the Moth Class Glen Tippet, sailing Feluca, got the better of Keith Robertson, sailing his new Moth Temptation. All other Moths retired.

OBITUARY

After a brief illness Mrs. F. (Dale) White, of the Esplanade, Altona, passed away at Footscray Hospital last Saturday, October 8.

Her husband, the late Mr. W. White, predeceased her by only five weeks.

Mrs. White, a well-known Altona identity, was a foundation member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Altona Life Saving Club and elected a life member of the club in 1962.

She held several positions in the auxiliary, including president and vice-president and for a number of years was hall secretary.

Mrs. White was at an auxiliary meeting when she became ill and lapsed into unconsciousness from which she did not recover.

When the Altona Post Office was located on the corner of Pier and Blyth Streets in Chorley's licensed grocery (new Mellett's), Mrs. White became the first postwoman in Altona. She was the first Altona "postie" to be issued with a P.M.G. whistle, which is now in the possession of Miss G. Luly, of the Esplanade.

Mrs. White was fond of accompanying her husband on fishing expeditions on the bay, on rabbiting trips and always knew where to find mushrooms for her friends.

Many old friends and local people including the Life Saving Club president, Mr. R. Hazeldine, and members of the executive committee and auxiliary attended her funeral at the Western Suburbs Cemetery last Tuesday morning.

She is survived by her only daughter Pat (Mrs. Peter Murphy) and grandchildren Tricia, Jan and Darren.

Tennis Teams

Altona Tennis Club team's for Saturday, October 15, are as follows—

SENIORS

A Grade v. Liston-Esplanade, away—

R. Graham, C. Trickey and H. Melouney. J. Parkinson, M. Harrington and L. Findlay.

A Reserve 1 v. Maidstone at Altona—

M. Kelly, J. Kelly and R. Turner. O. Kelly, P. Trickey and B. Angus.

A Reserve 2 v. Rosamond at Altona—

C. Turner, J. Trickey and Angus. S. Adcock, G. Cronin and J. Bourke.

B Special v. A.G.M. away— I. Harrington, B. Mellington and R. Walker. G. Thomas, J. Spackman and T. Gunn.

B Grade v. Liston-Esplanade at Altona—

G. Russell, D. White and A. Pimpini. S. Morrow, J. Hill and S. Rose.

Special effort sheets are to be returned by Saturday, October 15, to the club.

JUNIORS

No. 1 Boys v. Sunshine V.R.I. away: G. Findlay, J. Trickey, W. Thomas and R. Snowling.

No. 2 Boys v. Sunshine at Altona: G. Wood, C. Sutton, P. Sawyer and T. Findlay.

No. 3 Boys v. Sunshine V.R.I. away: L. McKinney, G. Crofts, R. Groves and P. Court.

No. 1 Girls v. Sunshine at Altona: M. Orchard, J. Walker, B. Sandilands and J. Neale.

No. 2 Girls v. Sunshine V.R.I. away: B. Walker, J. Critchley, L. Smith and S. Keown.

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